

(c) if so, the details thereof?

**THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT):** (a) to (c). In the scarcity and difficult villages in hard rock areas of the country, supply of safe drinking water is being done by putting hand pumps with UNICEF assistance.

The Central Government has also embarked upon a programme in the Central Sector of the Fifth Five Year Plan, to deal with the problem of providing water in problem villages, in addition to the plan allocations in the State Sector. Central assistance will be given to States for implementing specific schemes approved by the Ministry of Works and Housing. The Schemes would cover the supply of drinking water through hand pumps/Tube wells and piped water supply.

#### Concessions to Public Schools

**1935. SHRIMATI MRINAL GORE:** Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether he has made a statement that students coming out from Public Schools turned out to be good administrators; and

(b) if so, whether Government propose to give some more concessions to the Public Schools in the matter of collecting large amounts of school fees and collect donations?

**THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (DR. PRATAP CHANDRA CHUNDER):** (a) Yes, Sir. This is my personal opinion.

(b) There is no such proposal.

#### Vizhinjam and Neendakara Fishing Harbour, Kerala

**1937. SHRI VAYALAR RAVI:**

**SHRI RAMACHANDRAN KADNAPPALLI:**

**SHRI G. M. BANATWALLA:**

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Vizhinjam and Neendakara fishing harbour projects in Kerala have not so far been cleared by the Central Government; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and at what stage these proposals stand now and steps being taken to speed up their clearance?

**THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI SURJIT SINGH BARNALA):** (a) Yes Sir.

(b) In the context of posing the projects for World Bank assistance, certain changes in the project reports were required to be made. A revised report in respect of the fishing harbour at Neendakara has been received recently and this is being considered for sanction under the National Plan. With regard to the proposals on Vizhinjam fishing harbour, a revised project report is under preparation by the State Government. On receipt of this report, it will be posed for obtaining assistance from the World Bank.

#### Agro-Industry

**1938. SHRI SASANKASEKHAR SANYAL:** Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have defined, determined, described, enunciated or enumerated what is talked as 'Agro-Industry'; and

(b) if so, whether Government can furnish a list of Agro-Industries with reference to West Bengal?